

1. CALL TO ORDER

Call to Order - 5:04pm

2. TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We respectfully acknowledge that the SFSS is located on the traditional, unceded territories of the Coast Salish peoples, including the x^wməθk^wəÿəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish), Selílwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh), k^wik^wən̈dəm (Kwikwetlem) and qicə̈y (Katzie) Nations. Unceded means that these territories have never been handed over, sold, or given up by these nations, and we are currently situated on occupied territories.

3. ROLL CALL OF ATTENDANCE

3.1 Governance Committee Composition

VP Internal and Organizational Development (Chair)	
Ex-Officio	Helen Sofia Pahou
VP Finance and Services	Abhishek Parmar
Mathematics Councillor	Ben Tischler
Psychology Councillor (Vice-Chair)	Mark Giles
Society of Arts and Social Sciences Councillor	Hilary Tsui

4. CONSENT AGENDA

4.1 CONSENT AGENDA

Be it resolved to adopt the consent agenda by unanimous consent.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

4.1.1. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES-Governance Committee Minutes - MOTION GOV 2022-10-28:01

Be it resolved to receive and file the following minutes:

• GOV 2022-09-30

5. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

5.1 MOTION GOV 2022-10-28:02



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VP Internal/Ben

Be it resolved to adopt the agenda as amended:

CARRIED AS AMENDED

- Strike section 11 and 12 from the agenda and renumber accordingly
- Strike item 7.2 from the agenda and renumber accordingly
- Add discussion item 6.3 and 6.4

6. DISCUSSION ITEMS

6.1 Personnel Policies Review (in order from bad to worse)

SUBMITTED BY: VP Internal and Organizational Development

- Personnel Policy changes and recommendations have been sent to HRP.
- The committee discussed their thoughts and comments on the Personnel Policies.

6.2 Policy Reconciliation Update

SUBMITTED BY: VP Internal and Organizational Development

- Polices for election referenda, except the policy on digital campaigning, has been reconciled.
- VP Internal encouraged the committee to make sure every policy is reconciled.
 - VP Internal and Beaty should be notified if there are any inconsistent, non-reconciled, or old policies.

6.3 R5 Changes Discussion

SUBMITTED BY: VP Internal and Organizational Development

• VP Internal went over the R5 policy document discussed her suggestedchanges with the committee.

6.4 Outstanding Policy Sign-off

SUBMITTED BY: VP Internal and Organizational Development

- Some policies from as early as June have not been signed off by the relevant people.
- To reduce backlog, the committee is hoping to look at a different



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- avenue for the policy sign-off.
- VP Internal will share a working document to the committee over theweekend. It will be for requesting funds for an external policy consultant or society lawyer to ensure the policies are correct.

7. ADJOURNMENT

7.1 MOTION GOV 2022-10-28:03

VP Internal/Ben

Be it resolved to adjourn the meeting at 5:47pm

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY